Agenda

- Bills
- Regulatory Updates
- Upcoming Events
AB 966 On-Site Reuse (Weiner)

- SWRCB to develop risk-based standards, oversight, management program for decentralized / on-site reuse
  - Commercial / Mixed-Use buildings
  - SWRCB to approve local oversight management program
  - Existing Programs? Potential for grandfathered-in
  - WRCA to continue working with authors, no support yet
AB 1668 (Friedman) / SB 606 (Skinner/Hertzberg)

- Water Management Planning
  - Indoor Residential Water Use
    - Until 2025: 55 gallons per capita per day
    - 2025-2030: 52.5 gpcd indoor residential water use
    - After 203: 50 gpcd indoor
  - Agricultural Management
  - SB 606 – Urban Per Capita Water Use
    - Require a water shortage contingency plan
    - Conduct annual water supply/demand/shortage assessment
AB 574 Potable Reuse (Quirk) Budget Issues

- Governor’s budget does not include funding for staff
- 0.5% rate increase to drinking water fees to cover staff
- WRCA looking at having SWRCB shift staff
AB 2072 SWRCB CEC (Quirk)

- Research and Monitor CECs
  - Currently no dedicated branch or staff
  - Reviewing Options to Fund
    - Discharge permits, federal grant program, etc.
NWRI Study

- WRCA commissioned “Leaching in the Applications of Recycled Water for Landscape Irrigation”
  - Report to be used for MWELO Update
  - Draft Recommendations in April
  - Scientific rationale to account for the additional salt in recycled water
    - Include this rationale in the updated ordinance
Recycled Water Policy Update

- WRCA recommendations on RW reporting
  - SWRCB to split Potable Reuse into several types
  - Consolidate Reporting – Not as many reports/agencies
  - Reporting Entity - Producers V. Retailer?
    - WRCA Producer, SWRCB maybe ok with that

- Ocean discharge – survey of agencies that do not use RW
  - Need to define ‘ocean’

- Draft Language in March/April 2018
CEC 2018 Science Advisory Panel Report

- Comments Due MARCH 2 @ 5:00pm
- Part of RW Policy Update
- Encourage anyone with Potable Reuse to review
- Do not recommend CEC monitoring for any Title 22 projects
- WRCA may put out Fact Sheet
Proposed Waste and Unreasonable Use Regs

- Prohibits use of RW on medians and between sidewalks/streets
- WRCA asks for all RW to be exempt
- SWRCB will release revised draft soon
  - 15-day comment period
  - Next hearing – April 17
Upcoming Events

- March 2, 12:30 pm – WRCA Leg/Reg Committee call/meeting
- April 13, 12:30 pm – WRCA Leg/Reg Committee call/meeting
- May 4, 12:30 pm – WRCA Leg/Reg Committee call/meeting
- WRCA Annual Conference – Monterey March 25 - 27